

EW OFFICERS FOR O. E. S. . . .

HE ABOVE GROUP OF NEW OFFICERS were caught by the Tribune camera mediately after installation ceremonies that placed them in office for the como year in Morton Chapter N. 841, Order of the Eastern Star. Left to right with tices, they are Joe Gipson, Associate Patron; Ada Long, Associate Matron; Warie Toombs, Conductress; Alice Shelton, Worthy Matron; N. C. Shelton, Worthy Patron and Winnie Mae Byars, Associate Conductress.

# O.E.S. installation seats Sheltons in highest offices

as Worthy Matron and Worthy Patof Morton Chapter No. 841 O.E.S. Friight in the Masonic Lodge.

er officers installed were: Ada Long, iate Matron; Joe Gipson, Associate n; Mrs. Ona Payne, Secretary; Mrs. Dupler, Treasurer; Mrs. Marie Conductress; Mrs. Winnie Mae Associate Conductress; Mr. Het-Rowland, Chaplain; Mrs. Beulah Marshal; Mrs. Lois St. Clair, ist; Mrs. Hattie Tyson, Ada; Mrs. Williams, Ruth, Mrs. Lena Gipson, Mrs. Jo Ann Watts; Martha; Mrs. raia Moore, Electa; Clifford Moore, der and Fred Payne, Sentinel.

stalling officers were Mrs. Mozelle olds, Mrs. Jessie Lindsey, Mrs. Billye er, Mr. Hessie B. Spotts and Mr.

nta Shelton and Zeb Payne were can-

## ocal student awarded cholarship by college

H. Fincannon, 1971 Morton High graduate, has been awarded a ace scholarship to South Plains Col-

The scholarship provides for half of his ition fees for each semester of his fresha year, John received notification of award in a letter from SPC Academic an Dr. Nathan Tubb.

le is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John L. mon of Morton.

J. Wayne McDermett sang "Surely Goodness and Mercy" and "How Great Thou

Following the installation ceremonies, a reception was held in the dining room. "Helping To Develop Industry

and Agriculture in West Texas"

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# Council agenda 'action-packed'

cruiser and for the installation of new heating and air conditioning facilities for city hall building were the main items for consideration on an action-packed city council agenda Monday night.

West Chevrolet, of Levelland, was the winner of the police car bid out of a total of eight automobile agencies that were entered in the competition. West won on a low bid of \$3,521 gross with a trade-in of \$1,250 for a presently owner Morton police car for a net bid of \$2,271 This bid was approximately \$600 lower than the average bid submitted.

Forrest Lumber Company's bid of \$1,519 for a complete new heating and refrigerated air conditioning system was accepted by the council, following study of bids submitted by Higgenbotham-Bartlett Lumber Company for \$1,692.35 and by Great Plains Natural Gas for \$2,460.24. The Great Plains bid was for a gas system and the other two were for electrical

Bids for extensive repair and remodeling of the building were also studied but all bids were rejected due to a change in specifications introduced by the council. New bids, based upon the additional specifications, will be received until June 28, at which time they will be opened at the regular meeting of the council.

Fred Z. Payne, CPA, presented the city audit for the Fiscal Year to the council

See CITY COUNCIL, Page 6a



HIS DAY IS COMING ...

MONARCH OF ALL HE SURVEYS — that's Dad when he has his adoring children's affection to make him feel like a king. His day is coming Sunday, Father's Day, when Dads everywhere are accorded that extra attention and affection that makes them so proud to bear the title of father. Fred

Payne was receiving a little preliminary attention when the camera caught him with son Zeb, 11, and Sandra Lee, 5, as he was discharging one of his fatherly responsibilities of mowing the lawn. All three appear to be looking forward eagerly to his 'big day' Sunday.

### Marijuana – Innocent? cause occur. There is a marked unpre-

Marijuana is probably the best known drug to most parents because for years we have been hearing about it. Marijuana has long been in use in what we now term minority groups, but now it has spread across the land like cancer. Its manufacture and distribution is, of course, prohibited by law except for approved research purposes.

ing top of the plant Cannabis Sativa, L., commonly called Indian Hemp, Usually it looks like fine, green tobacco. It s smoked in pipes or cigarette form. Hashish, also a preparation from Cannabis, is taken orally in many forms, and infrequently it is made into candy, sniffed in powder form, mixed with honey for drinking or with butter to spread on bread, The primary effect is a feeling of great perceptiveness and pleasure and an exaggerated sense of ability, resulting from even small doses. Erratic behavior, loss of memory, distortion of time and spatial perceptions, and hilarity without apparent See MARIJUANA, Page 6a

dictability of effect.

#### ★ Basketball

Youth of the various churches are invited to come out Sunday nights after services for a game of basketball. Last Sunday the First Baptist Church

Of course, these reactions are usual in

the user of alcohol, too, but with the drug

user there is no alcoholic breath odor. Breath odor though is most always un-

downed the First United Methodist by a score of 29 to 23.

Roger Posey, Youth Director at the First Baptist Church, has announced a tournament will be played in four weeks. The games are held in the high school gym.

# Variety of criminal offenses give law officers busy week

A grain company office break-in and several other offenses kept Morton area law enforcement agencies on their toes during the past week.

The break-in and burglary occurred some time Friday night or early Saturday morning at the Beseda and Son grain company office in Whiteface. The intruders jimmied the front door to the office to make their entrance and made off with four cans of Treflan, Sheriff's reports indicate that the Treflan was the only property missing. The burglary was reported Saturday morning to Deputy sheriff Joe Hodge of Whiteface by Larry Beseda, manager of the company.

In other law enforcement action, Ferris Hall, 68, of Whiteface is free en bond after being charged with two offenses of swindling by worthless check. He pled guilty in county court to the lesser of the two charges and was fined \$10, was ordered to make full restitution and assessed \$39 in court costs. His bond on the other charge was set in district court at \$500 and he was freed June 10 after posting

Johnnie Cornish, 33, of Enochs, was freed on \$250 bond set in county court following a charge of swindling by worthless check June 12. Cornish was charged with passing a worthless check in the amount of \$38 to Allsup 7-11 store in Morton.

Lossie Jordan Jr., of Levelland was still in sheriff's custody Wednesday after being fined \$100 and assessed \$39 court cost for carrying a pistol.

### Don Butler graduates from Border Patrol school with honors

Don Butler, 27, of Morton, was graduated today from the United States Border Patrol Academy at Los Fresnos, Texas, and will perform duties as a Patrol Agent in the McAllen Border Patrol Sector.

Patrol Agent Butler was a member of the 99th Session of the Border Patrol Academy and was one of 77 new officers successfully completing the intensive academy course in Immigration and Nationality laws and regulations, Spanish language, duties and authority to act, court procedures, civil rights, physical training, and other studies involving the duties of patrol

Patrol Agent Butler is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Butler of Box 226, Hunting-See DON BUTLER, Page 6a

# Five Slaughter sons 'individualists'

The five men strode across the sandy ground toward the distant earthen tank just as the sun was setting on a typically hot Cochran County day in August of 1914, just 57 years ago this summer. The place was not so unique, but the men and the

Two of the five were obviously grizzled cowbeys, their unnatural gait on foot indicated that they had spent much of their lives in the saddle. The other three emitted a bookish, college-educated image, armed with notebooks and records.

The event? That summer day marked the first and one of the only executive sessions of the board of directors of the C. C. Slaughter Cattle Company that was ever held at the headquarters of the vast Lazy S Ranch of Cochran and Hockley

of being sons of the famed Cattle King of Texas, C. C. Slaughter, and had gathered at the ranch all at the same time for the first time.

Three years before, in 1911, the aging Colonel Slaughter had relinquished control of the quarter million acres to his wife and nine children, as he had planned to do for many years. Establishing what he wanted to be a "living insurance policy" that would forever be undivided, Colonel Slaughter had bought the vast stretch of Llano Estacado praries beginning in 1898 and had developed the ranch into a highly profitable venture. But after the land debt had been retired, he turned over the full ranch operation to his five "boys," the directors of the C. C. Slaugh-

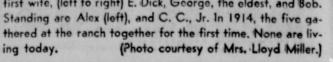
ter Cattle Company. The two oldest of the brothers, George and Bob, had ranched for many years,

father's vast West Texas ranches. The other three, Dick, C. C. Jr, and Al, although they had worked on the ranches, had won college degrees and had worked in the Colonel's Dallas office on various

For many years, the ranch's financial operation was run from Colonel Slaughter's office in his Slaughter Building in Dallas. In 1914, the three younger boys still maintained offices there, while George resided in Roswell, and Bob in

But for three days that August of 1914, they had all been roaming the ranch under the guidance of its manager and their eldest brother, George.

George Slaughter was somewhat put out with his brothers (actually, C. C., Jr., See SLAUGHTER, Page 6a





OLONEL SLAUGHTER'S "BOYS"...

THE FIVE SONS of famed rancher C. C. Slaughter pose in 1911 about the time they assumed full control of the vast Lazy S Ranch of Cochran and Hockley Counties. Seated are the oldest of the brothers and children of Colonel Slaughter's first wife, (left to right) E. Dick, George, the eldest, and Bob.

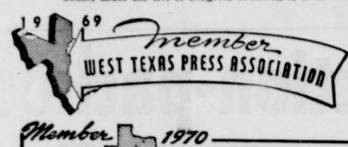
AN ORDINANCE RE-ESTABLISHING THE RATES TO BE CHARGED CUSTOMERS BY COCHRAN POWER & LIGHT COMPANY; ESTABLISHING SAID RATES; RE.

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The families of Marvin Brown, Sr., and Marvin Brown, Jr., wish to express their thanks for the food, kindness and comfort shown to us during our recent bereavement. Each act will always be remembered with grateful appreciation.

NOTICE -

THE STATE OF TEXAS To any Sheriff or any Constable within

the State of Texas - GREETING:

You are hereby commanded to cause to be published once each week for four consecutive weeks, the first publication to be at least twenty-eight days before the return day thereof, in a newspaper printed in COCHRAN County, Texas, the accompanying citation, of which the herein below following is a true copy.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION THE STATE OF TEXAS TO: JOHNNIE KING, Defendant, Greet-

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to appear before the Honorable 121 District Court of Cochran County at the Courthouse thereof, in Morton, Texas, by filing a written answer at or before 10 o'clock A.M. of the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days from the date

being the 2 day of August A.D. 1971, to Plaintiff's Petition filed in said court, on the 24 day of March A.D. 1971, in this cause, numbered 1922 on the docket of said court and styled IN THE MATTER OF THE MARRIAGE OF JUDY KING AND JOHNNIE KING.

Classifieds

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit:

SCRIBED IN PLAINTIFF'S PETITION ON FILE IN THIS OFFICE. as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit.

If this citation is not served within ninety days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

The officer executing this writ shall

Issued and given under my hand and the seal of said court at MORTON, Texas, this the 15 day of June A.D. 1971.

121 District Court Cochran County, Texas By Eunice Mazon, Deputy.

Three Way

The Three Way Baptist Church is having a Brotherhood Breakfast at the church July 11. With breakfast at 7 a.m. Church services will be held by the men of the church and all men are invited.

8 at a Littlefield Hospital. Her parents are Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Wooten, Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Barney Locke of Maple and Mr. and Mrs. Willis Bonning of Bledsoe.

Mrs. Terry Hutton was in Lubbock Friday on business

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Hinds of Farmington, N.M. visited her mother Bulah Toombs the past week.

from Levelland spent Wednesday night with her parents, the Rayford Mastens. Mr. and Mrs. Gib Dupler and Mr. and Mrs. Leon Dupler were in Lawton, Oklaa cousin.

dist Hospital in Lubbock. Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Garvin spent Sun-

Mr. and Mrs. Truman Kelley from Amarillo spent the weekend visiting their parents, John Tyson and Mr. and Mrs.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Wheeler spent Sunday at West Camp visiting their son and family, the George Wheelers.

Mr. Darrell Corkery and Rita Amperin this week.

DIVORCE SUIT MORE FULLY DE-

promptly serve the same according to requirements of law, and the mandates hereof, and make due return as the law

Attest: R. J. Vinson Clerk,

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Sharon Machell Wooten was born June

Mr. and Mrs. Lamar Pollard and son

homa Saturday to attend the funeral of Mirs. R. L. Reeves is a patient in Metho-

day in Lubbock visiting their daughter and family, the James Gillentines.

Fred Kelleys and other relatives.

are attending a workshop at Texas Tech

SERVING THE RIGHT TO FURTHER F SULATE RATES AS PROVIDED BY LAW; AND PROVIDING FOR PUBLI. CATION OF THE DESCRIPTIVE CAPTION OF THIS OR-DINANCE.

WHEREAS, Cochran Power & Light Company of Whiteface has presented inform tion indicating that the present revenue at Whiteface is not adequate, and

WHEREAS, application has been made for relief from this condition by an adjust ment of its rates for local service, and

WHEREAS, under the conditions, said proposed schedule of rates appears to the City Council as reasonable and just, and necessary to insure continued expansion and improvement of electrical service to the citizens of Whiteface, and WHEREAS, the City Council recognizes the right of Cochran Power & Light Con

pany to earn a fair return on the fair value of its property devoted to the rendition of electrical service within the City of Whiteface.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY WHITEFACE, TEXAS:

SECTION !:

That Cochran Fower & Light Company is hereby authorized to place into effect the following schedule of rates for the present service and such other charges and other rates for Miscellaneous Services as are included in its proposed rates, a summary which is attach d:

All Schedules

Title of Rate	On all billing on or after	Cancelling Dat
Schedule RS-Residential Service	Jan. 20, 1972	April 2, 1965
Schedule CS-Church Service	Jan. 20, 1972	April 2, 1965
Schedule GS-General Service	Jan. 20, 1972	April 2, 1965
Schedule LP-Large Power Service	Jan. 23, 1972	April 2, 1965
Schedule CG-Cotton Gins Completely Electrified	Jan. 23, 1972	April 2, 1965
Schedule CGX-Cotton Gins Partially Electrified	Jan. 20, 1972	April 2, 1965
Schedule IFIMES-Industrial Feed Mill and Elevator Service	Jan. 20, 1972	April 2, 1965
Schedule IPS-Irrigation Power Service	Jan. 20, 1972	April 2, 1965
Schedule M & S-Municipal and Public School Service	Jan. 20, 1972	April 2, 1955
Schedule OLS-Outdoor Lighting Service	Jan. 20, 1972	No Change
Schedule MSL-Municipal Street Lighting Service	Jan. 20, 1972	No Change
Schedule STS-Short Term Service	Jan. 20, 1972	April 2, 1965
Schedule SSS-Standby and Supplementary Service	Jan. 20, 1972	April 2, 1965
Schedule SFS-Sports Field Service	Jan. 20, 1972	April 2, 1965

The City Secretary is authorized to publish this descriptive caption of this Ordinand Which publication shall be one time in the Morton Tribune, a newspaper of gene circulation in this city.

SECTION III:

That nothing in this Ordinance contained shall be construed as in any manner, no or hereafter, limiting or modifying the right and power of the City Council und the law to regulate the rates charged by Cochran Power & Light Company to service within the City of Whiteface, Texas.

Passed and Approved by the Council on first reading this Passed and Approved by the Council on second reading this Passed and Approved by the Council on third reading this

day of day of Wendall Dunlap

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of Public Safety Region for May, 1971 shows a total of 543 accidents resulting in 23 persons killed and 354 persons injured. This was 89 more accidents, six more fatalities, and 78 more injured than during April.

The 23 traffic death for the month of May, 1971 occurred in the following counties: Montague and Parker with three each; Archer, Palo Pinto and Oldham with two each; Dickens, Haskell, Hockley, Wise, Young, Armstrong, Cottle, Deaf Smith, Gray, Potter and Randall with one

Bee's wings vibrate 190 times a second. Saccharin is derived from coal-tar.

Three birds which cannot fly are the emu, kiwi and ostrich.

# Variety of activities planned for TTU swine short course

contest, lectures on the latest advancements in swine production and tours of Texas Tech University's recently opened swine teaching and research facilities will highlight activities of the 19th annual Swine Short Course expected to attract more than 200 persons to the Tech campus July 8-9.

The short course, co-sponsored by Texas Tech and the Texas Pork Producers Association, will also feature something for the ladies - a "Make It Yourself With Pig Suede" workshop under sponsorhship

of the Texas Porkettes on July 8. Weighing in of market hogs will get the short course under way at 8:30 a.m. Thursday (July 8), to be followed immediately by judging. Entry deadline for the market hog show is July 5, and producers are limited to one entry each ranging in weight from 200 to 240 pounds. Date of farrow will be required.

Judges for the show will be Tech Animal Science Prof. Max Lennon, T. D. Tanksley from the Animal Science Department at Texas A&M University, and James Stuart of the Farm Pac Kitchens in

Next will come the gilt selection contest with Lennon, Tanksley and Larry Tackitt, a pork producer from Happy, as judges. According to Dr. Leland Tribble, animal science professor and swine specialist at Texas Tech, the purpose of both the show and contest "is more educational than competitive." He said the hogs in the market hog show would be slaughtered for ure in a later carcass data lecture and that the gilt selection contest would "point out some things producers should look for and consider in choosing breeder stock."

Dr. Sam E. Curl, associate dean of Tech's College of Agricultural Sciences, will preside over the afternoon session July 8. Highlighting the session will be a lecture on baby pig disease problems by Dr. Robert F. Behlow, Extension Service veterinarian from North Carolina.

The afternoon session will also feature Southwestern Public Service swine specialist Carter Snodgrass speaking on factors influencing production costs; ACCO Feeds nutritionist Gene Waddill of Abilene discussing feed additives for swine; Tech

Lipton

INSTANT TEA

DR. PEPPER

Agricultural Engineering Prof. Walter Grub examining swine building ventilation, and Raymond Mittell of the Texas Water Quality Board in Lubbock discussing water quality control in relation to the swine

There will also be a review of pork producer activities on the state level by Texas Perk Producers president John Fair of Gunter, and on the national level by National Perk Producers Council vice presiding Euel Liner of Lubbock.

A progress report on swine research being done at Texas Toch University will kick off activities for the second day of the short course on July 9, presented by Lennon, Dr. Tribble, James McManigal of the Tech Animal Science staff and John McNeill of West Texas State University

Then, at 9:30 a.m., Dr. Behlow will again address the meeting with a discussion of general swine health problems. The session will also feature a report on services available at the Texas Veterinary Medical Diagnostic Laboratory by Dr. W. L. Schwartz of College Station, and a lecture on selection of breeding stock by Dr. Lauren Christian of Iowa State University, A question and answer session will follow.

At the af ernoon session on July 9, Tech Animal Science Prof. Keith Lind will present carcass data from the previous day's market heg show, and gilt selection contest winners will be named. Presiding over the session will be Dr. C. B. Ramsey

The coure activities will conclude with tours of Tech's new swine facilities composed of three buildings which were completed last November at a cost of more than \$14,000. The complete confinement facilities feature a sow-house for breeding, a farrowing-nursery combination and a growing and finishing house.

The facilities are designed to handle a 96-sew herd. The farrowing house will handle 32 sows at one time.

Mrs. Roy Poage of Slaton, president of the West Texas Porkettes, will preside over the pigskin workshop to be conducted in conjunction with the short of on July 8: "Make It Yourself With Pig

"Plg suede is beautifu!, flexible both in texture and versatility and brightly co'ored," Mrs. Poage pointed out. "The uses are practically limitless - garments, purses, shoes, belt, jewelry, pillows, boutique items just to name a few."

She added that sewing machines, thread, needles and other necessary items will be provided. A banquet and Pig Suede Style Show will cap the activities July 8 (Thursday) in the University Center Ballroom on the Tech campus.

Monrovia, Liberia is named for U. S. President James Monroe.

The average weight of the human brain

Thirty-three years usually constitute a

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SAYING SAD FAREWELL ...

THE GRIM FACTS OF LIFE, along with the advantages of being a goat owner rather than a goat, were about to be demonstrated when the above photo was taken last Thursday on the square in Morton. Sr. Vaties Lopez, of noar Hobbs, New Mexico, had exausted all efforts to sell his three-year-o'd goat and had steeled himself for the trip to the Morton Packing Company where the animal, of whom Lopez had admitedly become very fond, would be processed into meat for his family's consumption. "I would much rather sell him, even at a low price," Lopez said, "but no one will buy and I have too many others to feed." Such is life on the farm.

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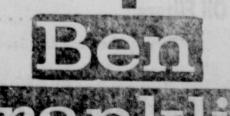
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## **COUNTY AGENT NEWS**

(Editor's Note: This is the fourth in a series of news articles on narrow-row cotton production.)

If any one thing could be singled out as the key to successful narrow-row cotton production on the High Plains this year, it would have to be weed control, believes Dr. Dudley Smith, research scientist at the Texas A&M University Agricultural Research and Extension Center

#### NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The tax board of equalization of the city of Morton will hold hearings relating to equalization for tax purposes of all properties situated within the tax jurisdiction of the city of Morton July 9, 1971 from 9 a.m. until 12 noon in the City Hall, 201 E. Wilson, Merton, Texas. All persons owning property within the city limits, who have busines before said board, shall be heard at that time.

/s/Nathalene Browne, Secretary to Board of Equalization,

City of Morton, Texas. Published in the Morton Tribune June 17, June 24, 1971.

#### NOTICE OF BIDS

Bids will be received by the City Council, City of Morton, for certain repairs and remodeling of the city hall building until June 28, 1971,

Specifications may be obtained at the city hall, 201 E. Wilson, Morton, Texas, between the hours of 8 a.m. and 5 p.m.

Monday through Friday, Sealed bids must be received no later than 5 p.m., June 28. All bids will be opened at the regular session of the city

council meeting at 7 p.m., June 28. The city council reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

/s/Donn e B. Simpson Mayor, City of Morton Published in the Morton Tribune June 17. June 24, 1971.

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at Lubbock. His weed control research program is supported by Cotton, Inc. and Plains Cctton Growers, Inc.

"Weed control is essential in cotton planted in narrow rows since the crop cannot be cultivated once it is planted," points out Smith. "The wisest choice a producer of narrow-row cotton can make is to select a field that is relatively weedfree. Areas infested with perennials such as Johnsongrass, whiteweed and blueweed should be avoided as well as fields where morningglory, cocklebur, devil's claw and pie melon are severe problems."

The many producers who have already incorporated a preplant herbicid such as Treflan or Planavin are ahead in the game of weed centrol, Smith points out. However, these herbicides do not control some annual broadleaf weeds such as morningglory and devil's claw.

"Producers who have not applied a preplant herbicide can still plant narrow-row cotton and then follow with a preemerge chemical such as Caparol, Karmex or Lasso. These materials have worked weil in close-spaced cotton but should be sprayed before weed and cotton emerge. They can be applied directly behind the planter to save a trip over the field."

Preemerge herbicides should be applied according to the manufacturer's recommendations, as is the case with all chemicals, cautions Smith, Some cotton injury may occur on light, sandy soils or following heavy rains or sprinkler irrigation right after planting.

"The main objective of a good weed centrol program is to get the cotton off to a good start, ahead of the weeds," says Smith, "Producers should strive for a weed-free seedbed. But, if small weeds pop up before planting, ue tillage or apply preemerge herbicides. Add surfactant to Caparol or Karmex or spray Paraquat ahead of Lasso.

Once the cotton becomes established in narrow rows, the plants develop a total shade cancpy. This reduces the amount of sunlight reaching the soil, thus "shad-

ing out" many small weeds. "For those weeds that manage to survive and infest the cotton, application of a postemerge herbicide is a possibility," points out Smith. "An experimental spray rig has been developed at the A&M Center that works well in narrow-row cotton without damaging the plants. Much of the work on this sprayer was done by Alan Brashears, USDA agricultural Engineer. The rig mounts on the tool bar and has trailing angle-iron fingers. Flooding nozzles mounted on these fingers spray a 40inch wide path. The trailing fingers are 20 inches apart and move freely around and between cotton plants."

Details on the sprayer as well as other information on weed control can be obtained at the Texas A&M Center, Route

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REAL LUNKERS . . .

AMOS TAYLOR AND Virgit Woolam could feed a lot of cats with these yellow catfish they took on a trotline at Lake Stamford this week-end. Woolam shows off his giant 32 pounder while Taylor displays his respectable twenty pound-

## Electrical power needs in Cochran county said growing rapidly

In what shape will Cochran County be this summer with respect to its electric power needs? Will the local area be faced with the power shortages that are in prospect in many sections of the country

The situation is so critical, nationally, that President Nixon called his cabinet into special session recently to devise steps that might be taken to ease the expected summer crisis and to discuss ways and means to provide for the teadily rising demand for electricity.

The demand double in the United States every 10 years or so, the Federal Power Commission's figures show.

In the area embracing Cochran County, residential consumption alone rose about 22 percent in just 5 years.

Despite the efforts made by most utility companies in the country to add new generating units to cope with this rapidly expanding demand, they have been unable to keep abreast. It takes a long time and a big investment to build new

As a result, according to John A. Carver, Jr., of the Federal Power Commission, "a crisis exists right now. For the next three decades we will be in a race for our lives to meet our energy needs."

In Cochran County, the amount of current required for residential consumption umped because of the great increa in the number of electrical appliances that have come into use in recent years.

In a period of five years the rise in the local area was from 9,000,000 kilowatt hours annually to a high of approximately 11,000,000 kilowatt hours. Per household, the average went from 4,995 to 7,574.

Elsewhere in the United States, the average consumption per household is 6,-430 kilowatt hours. It is 7,240, on average, in the West South Central States.

The figures are exclusive of the amount required for commercial, industrial and

Shortages are expected to occur this summer in many parts of the country. Voltage drops may effect TV reception, air conditioners, electric razors, elevators, X-ray machines and other equipment.

# Regional cotton cooperatives form world-wide sale force

Four large regional cotton cooperatives marketing 25 percent of U.S. cotton production from the Carolinas to California have agreed to merge their world-wide sales forces into one organization effective July 1, according to an announcement by Plains Cotton Cooperative Association in Lubbock

The new organization will be known as Amcot and will operate through offices in Charlotte, North Carolina; Greenville, South Carolina; Atlanta, Georgia; Brussels, Belgium; Osaka, Japan; Seoul, Korea and Hong Kong.

Russell Kennedy, Chairman of the Board of the new sales organization and President of Calcot, stated at a press conference that, "Opportunities for improved grower returns through broader market coveage, better market coodination and economics of scale prompted Calcot, Ltd., Plains Cotton Cooperative Association, Staple Cotton Cooperative As-

sociation and Southwestern Irrigated Cot-

ton Growers Association (SWIG) to establish the joint sales organization."

General offices of each farmer-owned association will maintain individual sales programs and responsibilities with their organiation expects to move to added services for customers based upon each buyer's requirements."

Serving on Amcot's Board of Directors will be G. L. Seitz, Bakersfield, California; Dan Davis, Lubbock, Texas; C. R. Sayre, Greenwood, Mississippi; and Edward Breihan, El Paso, Texas. Each is the Chief Executive Officer of his respective regional association.

Dan Davis, General Manager of PCCA stated, "The four regional associations operate in every major cotton production region of the United States. The volume of cotton that will be sold through Amcot will be the largest block of cotton produced in the U. S. Furthermore, it will improve the sales efficiency of each of the four associations, allow improved ser-

### Marine recruiting station is moved

The U. S. Marine Corps Recruiting tion for the South Plains area has moved from 1009 13th Street to Room of the new Federal Building at 1205 ? Ave., Lubbock, according to GYSGT T. Booth, non-commissioned officer-in-ch The office hours are eight to daily. The phone number at the new off is 747-3711, extensions 608 and 609,

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vices to our customers, and provide lan net returns to our grower-members Davis pointed out, "The sales staff each office will be drawn from each as ciation's sales personnel."

PCCA handles a substantial amount cotton for Texas and Oklahoma grow and this will add to the excellent ma ing efforts that PCCA members have or to expect. This plan was presented PCCA's Beard of Directors and was thusiastically endorsed.

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# Mr. Comer, Miss. French say wedding vows Friday

wreath, accented with twin candelawith white tapers and pews marked h blue bows and white carnations, Miss. Lois French became the bride of and Lee Comer. The candlelight cereony was performed by the Rev. L. D. (oy, of the Church of Christ Bible in Lubbock, Friday, June 11, at

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fr. and Mrs. Ester J. French Jr, are parents of the bride and his parents Mr and Mrs. James Floyd Comer

esented in marriage by her father. bride chose a formal gown of white trimmed in chantilly lace with em-

## Mrs. Taylor reviews ook for Tops club

frs. Ludean Taylor reviewed the "Red ok Review of Dieting" at the June 9 ting of the Lighter Later Tops Club

he club met at 8:30 a.m. in Fellowship of the First United Methodist Church. Rita Thomas called the meeting to order Marie Adams led the opening prayer. ght for the day was "Probably nothin the world arouses more false hopes the first four hours of a diet."

Marie Waters was the best loser of the Each member who had gained at for the preceeding week had a sign to her car window as a reminder she had not stayed on her diet. resent for the meeting were: Rita Tho-

Marie Waters, Ludene Taylor, Ruby s, Gene Bridges, Marie Adams, Donithesshir and Odessa Daniel.

he horsepower is the power required ift 33,000 pounds one foot in one minute. e hundred and twenty men accomed Cloumbus when he discovered Ame-

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was shallowed scooped, edged with pearls, and long petal point sleeves. The train was made of chantilly lace; the veil was chapel length covering the train. She carried a cascade of debicated white carnations high lighted by deep green cemelia

Carrying out tradition, something old and borrowed were her grandmother's pearls - something blue was a garter, a gift from her grandmother, Cecil Dirickson, her wedding gown was something new. For good luck, she wore two pennies in her shoe bearing her birthday and the grcoms, gifts from Phillip Gressett.

Karyn Vrubel of Spade served as Maid of Henor, Bridesmaids were Teresa Dupler and Cathy Hearn of Whiteface. They wore formal length gowns of royal blue taffeta fashioned with empire waistlines, trimmed in white. Their veils were made of royal blue tulle and each carried bouquets of rose buds with greenery and blue ribbons.

Best man was Eddie Veretto of Levelland. Ushers were Greg Renagar of Levelland, and Mickey Wallace of Arlington, cousin of the groom. Candlelighters were Regena Comer, sister of the groom and Doak French, cousin of the bride. Other attendants serving as groomsnan included Randy Comer, brother of the groom and Wesley Dupler of Whiteface.

Lubbock Christian College Choir presented the wedding selections.

A reception was held in the Community Center fellowing the ceremony. The serving table was covered with a white net ruffled cover. Table appointments of crystal and silver completed the decor. The three tiered wedding cake was decorated with whit roses accented with royal blue

The couple will make their home in Levelland where he is employed at South Plains Marine.

The bride attended Whiteface High school and the groom is a graduate of Levelland High School.



Mrs. Richard Lee Comer

## 4H Sewing Club names president

Raylene Well was elected president of the newly organized "Mod Odds" sewing club at their organizational meeting June 10 in the County Activity Building.

Elected to serve with Miss Wells was Carla Washam, vice president; Tona Coker, secretary and Suzanne Gillespie, re-

Attending the meeting were: Trina Mayberry, Tammy Mayberry, Gwyn Bates, Julie Brown, Suzanne Gillespie, Tona Coker, Carla Washam, Raylene Wells and the leaders, Mrs. Carl W. Ray and Mrs. Frank The Morton (Tex.) Tribune, Thursday, June 17, 1971

# **Bula-Enochs** news

Muleshoe spent Friday till Tuesday with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Mil-

Visiting Thursday and Friday with Mrs. L. E. Nichols was her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Powell, from Ft Madison,

Mr and Mrs. Duane Clem of Wolfforth, visited in the community with friends Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Beasley, Mr. and Mrs R. P. McCall, Mr. and Mrs. J. D Bayless and the J W Laytons

Mr and Mrs E, N. McCall, Mr and Mrs. R. P. McCall joined their brother and wife, Mr and Mrs G. H. McCall, from Harlington, for a vacation They toured Colo., Wyo., ontana, Utah, Ariz.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Seagler and baby from Burkburnett, spent the week-end with his parents, Mr and Mrs. C. R Seag-

Mrs. Ted Hall was a guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Pool in Morton Sunday,

Mrs. J. B Vanlandingham was a patient in the Cochran Memorial Hospital Monday till Wednesday for tests and

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Grusendorf of Plainview spent Saturday night in Littlefield with his parents Mr. and Mrs. O. H Grusendorf, and was a dinner guest in the home of her mother, Mrs. Rowena Richardson, at Bula Sunday.

Mrs. J. D. Bayless and grandchildren Larry and Linda Finley drove to Wells Tuesday afternoon and spent Tuesday and Wednesday night with her sister, Rev. and Mrs. Ray Cunningham Wednesday Mrs. Bayless, Larry and Linda and Mrs. Cunningham spent the day in Big Spring to visit Mrs Myrtie Finaly who had major surgery Tuesday at the Malone and Hogan hospital

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Pool and children and Tonya Gipson of Lubbock visited the J B. Vanlandingham's last Sunday after-

Visitors at the Enochs Baptist Church

sendorf of Plainview, Charles Seagler and baby daughter of Burkburnett Larry and Linda Finley of Odessa.

Mrs. Ted Hall had her family gathering at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Young at Lubbock recently.

Mrs. L. E. Nichols had her children home Saturday, Mr. and Mrs Sammie Nichols and Tony of Plainview will be moving to Denver, Colo Friday June 18 where he will be Maisic Director of the Baptist Church.

Linda Gilliam of Lubbock spent Friday with her parents Mr. and Mrs. E. C.

Company in the J. L. Layton home Thursday till Saturday was his sister Mrs. Mandy Terrell of Midland, Lee Olan Chick of Borger and Mrs. Morris Hampton of Grover were also guests Saturday.

The ladies from Enochs going to WMU Camp at Floydada Monday were Mrs. Chester Petree, Mrs. J. W. Layton, Mrs. Charlie Byars and Mrs. Harold Layton.

Mrs. George Autry was admitted to the Methodist Hospital Sunday afternoon for tests and -rays

Vacation Bible School began Monday 14 at the Methodist Church They will have clases each day 9 till 11 am through

## Shower honors Miss Hawkins

Miss Ernestine Hawkins, recipient of a study scholarship at Bishop College in Dallas, was honored with a shower in the home of Mrs. W. A. Hovey June 5.

Miss Hawkins was one of forty-eight students chosen from the United States to study environmental science during a six weeks period. She will leave for Dallas

The Town and Country Study Club served as hostess for the shower and gifts were sent by members of other clubs.

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## Mrs. Miller honored with birthday tea

The Morton Chapter OES honored the Chapter Mothe, Mrs. B.r.ha Miler, with a birthday gift tea in the home of Mrs. Leis St. Clair Sunday, June 13, from 4 to

Refres' ments were served to: Mmes. Wonde'l Watson from Pampa, E. L. Willis of Lubbock, J. A. Mullinax, Jo Ann Watts, Ada Long, Hessie B. Spotts, Lolita Hovey, Alice Shelton, Ethel Stracener and St.

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